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Exchange Rate

R/US\$

R18.88

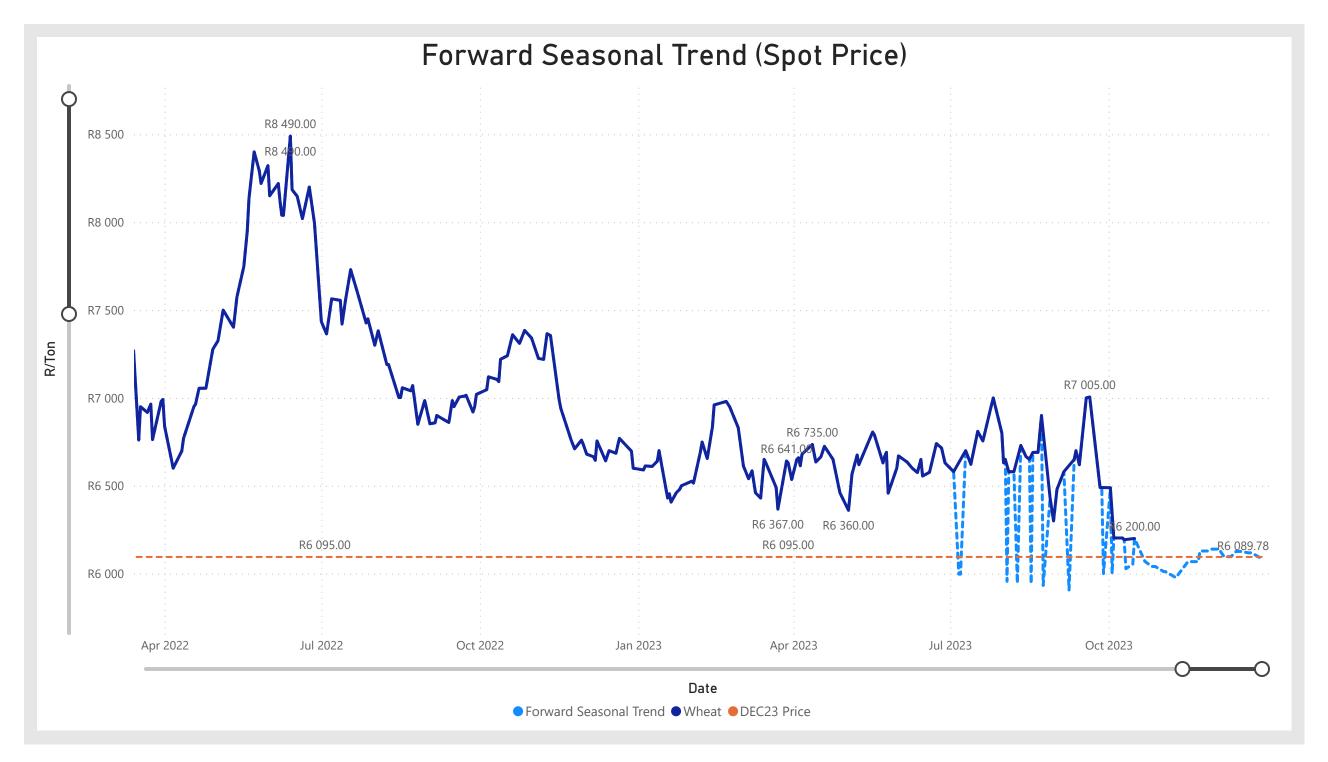
R/US\$ % Change

0.01%

Discussion JS supply is increased by 85 million bush

Higher US ending stocks. US supply is increased by 85 million bushels, largely due to higher production. Exports remain unchanged at 700 million bushels. US ending stocks were increased by 55 million bushels to 670 million, up 15% from a year ago.

World stocks are reduced by 3.5 million tons to 1.0510 billion, due to reduced production in Australia, Kazakhstan and Ethiopia, partly cancelled out by higher production for the USA. Australia's production is down 1.5 million tonnes to 24.5 million, due to continued dry conditions across most of the growing areas. Exports are reduced for Australia, Brazil and Kazakhstan, and only partly cancelled out by higher Russian exports. Estimated 2023/24 world ending stocks are cut by 0.5 million tonnes to 258.1 million, the lowest since 2015/16.



Wheat Market Discussion

0 = Bearish / 50 = Neutral / 100 = Bullish

Bearish Factors	Bullish Factors
Exchange Rate - The South African rand strengthened in early trade on	Exchange Rate - The rand traded weaker last week.
Monday as tensions in the Middle East underpinned the price of oil and	Local Production - None
put the dollar on the back-foot.	Demand - China started to buy more global wheat.
Local Production - None	North America - None
Demand - US exports are reduced.	Australia - El Nino is already causing severe problems in the Southern
North America - US wheat exports are 18% down from prior four-week	Hemisphere. Australia had the driest September on record.
average.	Black Sea Area - Egypt purchased 17.3 million bushels wheat from
Australia - None	Russia, Romania and Bulgaria.
Black Sea Area - Ukraine might export wheat to China.	World Stocks - Ukraine's total grain exports are 28% lower so far
World Stocks - Russia's cheap wheat exports continue flooding the	during the 2023/24 marketing year.
market.	

